

# Red Sox Cinch American League Pennant—National Rag In Balance

## HARD FIGHT ON TAP FOR DODGERS

Brooklyn Meets Giants in Final Games While Quakers Take on Braves.

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—Boston, winner of the world's championship in 1915, is again the pennant winner in the American league.

Although Chicago's defeat in the first game Sunday brought a decision in the American, the pennant in the National league is not yet clinched, and it will take the concluding games of the season to decide the winner. Brooklyn, in first place, and Philadelphia, in second, appear to have the best mathematical chance of opposing Boston in the inter-league championship series. The latter team can loss all its remaining games without a chance of Chicago catching up.

### Play in East Again.

Whether Brooklyn, Philadelphia or Boston wins in the National, the classic of baseball will be played in each as it was last year, with Boston in the preceding two years, having one of the contending teams. Not since 1910, when Chicago won first place in the National league has the west had a contender in the championship series.

Adding to the excitement of the close pennant race, New York National team, during the past week established a major league record of 26 consecutive victories.

The previous major league record of 20 straight games won was made by Providence 32 years ago. Brooklyn, although maintaining its hold on the first place, did not play the baseball the team showed during July and early in August.

### Twin Bills Booked.

Philadelphia lost one game during the week. The final game of the season between the four first division teams in the National to be played at Brooklyn and Philadelphia. New York and Brooklyn will meet in a four game series on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, while Boston and Philadelphia are battling in six games in the four same days. Double headers are scheduled for Monday and Tuesday in Philadelphia. Upon these games the pennant depends.

Boston did not maintain its previous winning pace in the American league during the week. Boston has three games yet to play against Philadelphia on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Chicago and Detroit completed their schedules today.

Philadelphia in the American league has established a record for games lost. The previous mark of 113 games lost in a season, held by Washington, was equalled last Sunday, and up to Saturday the Philadelphia organization had lost 116 games.

The concluding games in the inter-sectional series had these results: National, east 14, west, 1; American, east, 2; west, 5.

### A. A. Early Season.

The American association closed Sunday with Louisville in front of Indianapolis. Its nearest rival, by 5½ games, the championship was decided several days ago.

The race was one of the closest ever run in the association with Kansas City, Indianapolis and Louisville all practically conceded the flag at different times only to disappoint their followers or fall before some rival. Kansas City finishing the season minus the manager it began with, dropped into the second division though for weeks it was the league. St. Paul in the last week of the season took fourth place.

## QUAKERS WILL MISS BANCROFT TODAY

Philadelphia Shortstop Not Able to Play Against Boston Due to Injured Leg.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Oct. 2.—The Philadelphia national base ball team will open its crucial six-game series with Boston Monday morning the services of David Bancroft, shortstop, who was injured in Saturday's game with Brooklyn, but the specialist who examined him injured leg, Sunday, says that he will be able to play on Tuesday. Wednesday. An examination revealed that Bancroft's hip had been dislocated, but it was quickly snapped back into place.

Steek, the regular third baseman, will take Bancroft's place at short, and Byrne, a dependable infielder, will play third in the double header tomorrow. Games are also scheduled for Tuesday.

Although Brooklyn and Boston have announced their arrangements for the sale of seats, should they have the honor of starring the world's series, no announcement will be made until the title is clinched. Under orders of the National commission the printing of tickets and other arrangements are under way, however, and thousands of sanguine fans have sent in orders to the management for seats.

## YANKS WIN EXHIBITION

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 2.—Bunched hits in the ninth inning enabled the New York Americans to defeat the semi-professional Colonials in an exhibition game here today, 2 to 1. Keating, a former Yankee, pitched excellent ball for the locals. Score: New York ... 16 000 001—2 5 0 Colonials ... 001 000 000—1 6 5 Buckles, Love, Alexander and Ulters; Keating and Walters.

## BOWLING STANDINGS AND SCHEDULES

### ANTLERS' LEAGUE

Tyler	0	1000
Bones	1	604
Charms	1	602
Teeth	1	602
Bills	0	600
Birds	0	600
Horns	0	600
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### BANKERS' LEAGUE

Citizen's	0	1000
Union Trust	1	997
American Trust	1	999
Morris Plan	1	500
First National	1	325
St. Joe Savings	1	325
South Bend National	1	325

### CENTRAL LEAGUE

Burkeens	0	607
Houser Creations	1	607
Koehler & Schaefer	1	604
Mazza Haz	1	604
Mike's Beeneaters	1	603

### C. OF C. LEAGUE

A. C. ...	2	177
Sox	1	604
Stars	1	604
Athletics	1	604
Timers	1	604
Braves	0	600
Giants	0	600

### CITY LEAGUE

Pucktails	0	577
C. of C.	1	604
Huile & Mike	1	604
Studenters	1	604
Quinton Ponies	1	604
Jimmy and Vicat	1	604
Watch Co.	1	604

### COMMERCIAL LEAGUE

Bell No. 2	2	177
L. M. & N. No. 2	1	556
L. M. & N. No. 3	1	556
L. M. & N. No. 1	1	556
Home Telephone	1	556
L. M. & N. No. 4	1	556

### ELECTRIC LEAGUE

Bell No. 2	2	177
L. M. & N. No. 2	1	556
L. M. & N. No. 3	1	556
L. M. & N. No. 1	1	556
Home Telephone	1	556
L. M. & N. No. 4	1	556

### E. & M. RANGE CO. LEAGUE

Packers	1	556
Reservoirs	1	556
Range Mates	1	556

### FEDERAL LEAGUE

Eks	5	1
Orphans	4	556
Wrens	4	556
Ewans	4	556
Stags	3	556

### FATHE WORKS LEAGUE

Aprons	1	556
Beds	1	604
Head Stocks	1	604
Lead Sheets	2	556
Timers	1	604

### LUMBER LEAGUE

Bell Gums	8	111
Printers	6	556
Pins	6	556
Oliver	1	111
Watch Co.	6	556
Stephenson	1	111
Lath Works	1	111
Tell Stocks	1	111

### MANUFACTURERS' LEAGUE

Foundry	8	556
Machine Shop	4	556
Slipping	4	556
Printers	4	556
Neals	4	556
Stock	4	556
Designers	3	556
Wood Patter	3	556
Ind. Eng. Co.	3	556
Peerless Press	3	556

### OLIVER LEAGUE

Production	9	2000